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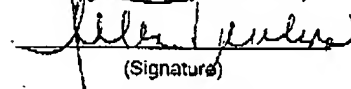
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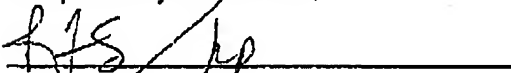
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- \* 7-page preliminary amendment
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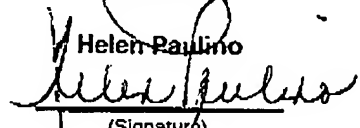
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, the  
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